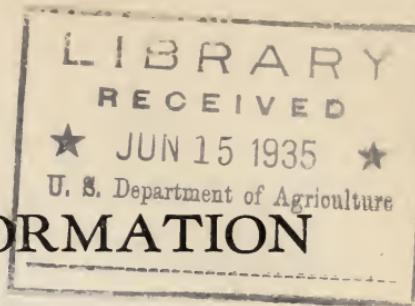


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SOURCES OF INFORMATION REGARDING COOPERATIVES

Issued by the CONSUMERS' COUNSEL
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Three Groups of Cooperative Societies about which the Federal Government Gives Informational Assistance:

- Consumer Cooperative Societies
- Credit Cooperative Societies
- Producer Cooperative Societies

Organizations Outside the Government Interested in Cooperatives

(Write to each agency listed for material)

Sources of Information Regarding Cooperatives

CONSUMER COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES

I. CONSUMERS DIVISION, NATIONAL EMERGENCY COUNCIL, WASHINGTON, D. C.

CONSUMERS' COOPERATION, Bulletin No. 4, Prepared to meet the demand for general information about consumer cooperation and as a guide to the services of Federal agencies.

II. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF CONSUMERS' COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS AND CLUBS, Bulletin No. 598. Contains model bylaws and bibliography.

A SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY ON THE COOPERATIVE MOVEMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES. (Includes cooperatives of consumers, banking, agriculture workers.) See Monthly Labor Review, March 1925 and September 1930. U. S. Department of Labor.

CONSUMERS' CREDIT AND PRODUCTIVE COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES, 1929, Bulletin 531.

LOCAL CONSUMERS' COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN 1933. See Monthly Labor Review, November 1934.

ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF COOPERATIVE HOUSING ASSOCIATIONS, Bulletin No. 608.

ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF COOPERATIVE GASOLINE AND OIL ASSOCIATIONS, Bulletin No. 606.

SPECIAL ARTICLES. Monthly Labor Review. 35 cents.

III. DIVISION OF SELF-HELP COOPERATIVES, FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

SELF-HELP COOPERATIVES, an Introductory Study.

MANUAL OF RULES AND POLICIES CONCERNING SELF-HELP AND NON-PROFIT NONSTOCK COOPERATIVES ELIGIBLE TO FEDERAL AID.

A MANUAL OF ACCOUNTING PROCEDURE SUGGESTED FOR SELF-HELP COOPERATIVES.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT SELF-HELP COOPERATIVES.

SPECIMEN BYLAWS FOR SELF-HELP COOPERATIVES.

COOPERATIVE SELF-HELP. (Issued periodically.)

HANDCRAFT, AN INVESTIGATION OF THE PRESENT AND POTENTIAL MARKET FOR NONCOMPETITIVE HANDCRAFT IN THE UNITED STATES.

IV. DIVISION OF SUBSISTENCE HOMESTEADS, RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

V. TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY, WASHINGTON, D. C.

"The Board is hereby empowered and authorized to sell the surplus power not used in its operation * * * to States, counties, municipalities, corporations, partnerships, or individuals.

"* * * It shall give preference to States, counties, municipalities, and cooperative organizations of citizens or farmers not organized or doing business for profit." Public Act. 17: section 10.

VI. FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Recommends that the establishment of "Retail consumers' cooperative societies be promoted in the thickly populated rural districts of the United States." Report on Cooperation in Foreign Countries, 1924.¹

¹ Out of print. See local reference libraries.

CREDIT COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES

Federal Credit Unions may also be organized and operated under Federal Charters issued by the Farm Credit Administration. Credit Union Act, June 26, 1934.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNIONS, FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COOPERATIVE THRIFT AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS, Circular No. 10.

ORGANIZATION MATERIAL.

COOPERATIVE SAVING. Published monthly.

LOANS BY PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION, Circular 3.

PRODUCER COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES

THE COOPERATIVE IN AMERICA—Speech by Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, at American Institute of Cooperation, Raleigh, North Carolina, July 24, 1933.

THE MOST COMPLETE AGRICULTURAL RECOVERY IN HISTORY—THE EXAMPLE OF DENMARK, by Frederic C. Howe, Special Adviser to the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture.

GUIDES FOR ORGANIZING LOCAL COOPERATIVE MARKETING ASSOCIATIONS—Grain, dairy products, poultry, fruits and vegetables. Farm Credit Administration.

COOPERATION IN AGRICULTURE, a Selected Bibliography. Federal Farm Board Bulletin No. 6, March 1931. Under revision.

LOANS TO FARMERS' COOPERATIVES. Circular No. 6. Farm Credit Administration.

NEWS FOR FARMER COOPERATIVES. A monthly published by Farm Credit Administration.

FARMERS' COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, 1929, Circular 94, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C. 15 cents.

TENNESSEE VALLEY ASSOCIATED COOPERATIVES. Knoxville, Tenn.

FISHERMEN'S COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS, Act of Congress, Public No. 464, June 1934, Bureau of Fisheries, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

ORGANIZATIONS OUTSIDE OF THE GOVERNMENT INTERESTED IN COOPERATIVES

I. THE COOPERATIVE LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. 167 WEST TWELFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Stands in the position of a central clearing house for the cooperatives in the United States.

II. DISTRICT COOPERATIVE LEAGUES:

CENTRAL STATES COOPERATIVE LEAGUE, 1410 N. Main, Bloomington, Ill.

EASTERN STATES COOPERATIVE LEAGUE, 112 East Nineteenth Street, New York City.

NORTHERN STATES COOPERATIVE LEAGUE, Sexton Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

III. NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ASSOCIATION, 5 PARK SQUARE, BOSTON, MASS.

IV. FOR COOPERATIVES INCORPORATED IN YOUR STATE:

Inquire of your State Department of Markets or Agriculture.

V. FOR CREDIT UNIONS INCORPORATED UNDER STATE LAWS:

Inquire of your State Department of Insurance or Banking.